

HOWARD COUNTY POLICE TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT SECTION COLLISION MEDIA ADVISORY

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Speed Kills Non-Fault Driver

The Traffic Enforcement Section is investigating a Fatal Collision that occurred on Thursday, August 14, 2008 at approximately 7:30PM. The two-vehicle collision occurred on Frederick Road east of Daisy Road when a 2006 BMW - M6 traveling at a high rate of speed crossed the double yellow centerlines. The BMW struck a Ford Explorer that was traveling westbound on Frederick Road and the impact killed the driver of the Ford Explorer.

The impact between the Ford Explorer and the BMW left the engine of the BMW sitting in the middle of Frederick Road and the BMW continued eastbound on Frederick Road. The un-belted driver and un-belted passenger were ejected from the vehicle. Both occupants of the BMW and two occupants of the Ford Explorer were flown to the University of Maryland – Shock Trauma. One occupant of the Ford Explorer was flown to Johns Hopkins Hospital.

The driver of the BMW has been identified as Joel Nathaniel Wareham, 22 years of age, of Martinsburg WV. He is listed in Serious/Stable Condition. The passenger in the BMW – Joshua Booth, 20 years of age from Latonsville MD is listed Serious/Stable Condition.

The deceased driver of the Ford Explorer has been identified as Milton Stanley Bowens, Sr., 64 years of age of the 1100 blk. Shaffersville Road Mt. Airy Howard County MD. Adrienne Jones, a passenger in the Ford Explorer, is 44 of age of the 1100 blk., Shaffersville Road Mt. Airy and is listed in Critical/Stable condition at Shock Trauma. Corin Disney, a 16-year-old passenger in the Ford Explorer is listed in Serious/Stable condition at Shock Trauma. Jasmin Disney a 13-year-old passenger is listed in Serious Condition at Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Charges against Mr. Wareham are pending the completion of the investigation by Corporal Meek.